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Docket No.: 00684.002801.1

In re Application of:

TOMOHARU HASE, ET AL.

Application No.: 09/876,103

Examiner: G. Evans

Filed: June 8, 2001

Group Art Unit: 1725

For: EXPOSURE APPARATUS AND METHOD
OF CLEANING OPTICAL ELEMENT OF
THE SAME

Date: June 25, 2003

MAIL STOP RCE
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Preliminary Amendment in the above-identified application.

An additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	21	MINUS	20	= 1	x \$9 \$18	\$ 18.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	14	MINUS	12	= 2	x \$42 \$84	\$168.00
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$140°/\$280						
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT---						\$186.00

°Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.

A check in the amount of \$ 186.00 is enclosed.

Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

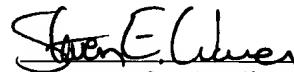
Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

A check in the amount of \$ to cover the fee for a month extension is enclosed.

A check in the amount of \$ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,



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